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North Carolina House of Representatives
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HOUSE SELECT COMMITTEE ON ADOPTEE BIRTH CERTIFICATES

**TO THE HONORABLE MEMBERS OF THE
NORTH CAROLINA HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES**

Section 1. The House Select Committee on Adoptee's access to their Birth Certificates (hereinafter "Committee") is established by the Speaker of the House of Representatives pursuant to G.S. 120-19.6(a1) and Rule 26(a) of the Rules of the House of Representatives of the 2007 General Assembly.

Section 2. The Committee consists of the 14 members listed below, appointed by the Speaker of the House of Representatives. Members serve at the pleasure of the Speaker of the House of Representatives. The Speaker of the House of Representatives may dissolve the Committee at any time.

Representative Margaret Dickson, Chair
Representative Nelson Dollar
Representative Jean Farmer-Butterfield
Representative Melanie Wade Goodwin
Representative Ty Harrell
Representative Pricey Harrison
Representative George Holmes
Representative Earline Parmon
Representative Garland Pierce
Representative Tracy Walker
Representative Jennifer Weiss
Representative W.A. Wilkins
Mr. James T. Bryan, III Orange County
Ms. Jane L. Cochrane, Guilford County

Section 3. The Committee may study issues related to adult adoptees having access to their original birth certificates. The Committee may consider:

1. The laws of states that allow an adult adoptee access to the adoptee's original birth certificate.